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TABLE C. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS  
CIVIL CASES COMMENCED, TERMINATED AND PENDING  
DURING THE TWELVE MONTH PERIODS ENDED DEC. 31, 2005 AND 2006

CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	FILINGS			TERMINATIONS			PENDING		
	PERIOD ENDED DEC. 31, 2005	PERIOD ENDED DEC. 31, 2006	PERCENT CHANGE 1	PERIOD ENDED DEC. 31, 2005	PERIOD ENDED DEC. 31, 2006	PERCENT CHANGE 1	PERIOD ENDED DEC. 31, 2005	PERIOD ENDED DEC. 31, 2006	PERCENT CHANGE 1
TOTAL...	245,575	270,171	10.0	280,729	258,542	-7.9	252,806	264,435	4.6
DC.....	2,635	2,388	-9.4	2,681	2,775	3.5	3,303	2,916	-11.7
1ST...	6,198	5,806	-6.3	6,578	6,087	-7.5	7,270	6,989	-3.9
ME.....	453	407	-10.2	502	420	-16.3	303	290	-4.3
MA.....	3,294	2,993	-9.1	3,326	3,224	-3.1	3,992	3,761	-5.8
NH.....	479	498	4.0	545	534	-2.0	441	405	-8.2
RI.....	560	570	1.8	562	578	2.8	796	788	-1.0
PR.....	1,412	1,338	-5.2	1,643	1,331	-19.0	1,738	1,745	0.4
2ND...	23,480	27,275	16.2	22,226	21,695	-2.4	32,391	37,971	17.2
CT.....	2,045	2,159	5.6	2,219	2,382	7.3	2,910	2,687	-7.7
NY, N.....	1,672	1,599	-4.4	1,608	1,452	-9.7	2,678	2,825	5.5
NY, E.....	6,325	7,040	11.3	6,465	5,926	-8.3	7,580	8,694	14.7
NY, S.....	11,381	14,675	28.9	9,874	9,991	1.2	16,155	20,839	29.0
NY, W.....	1,695	1,529	-9.8	1,672	1,627	-2.7	2,616	2,616	0.0
VT.....	362	273	-24.6	388	317	-18.3	354	310	-12.4
3RD...	27,471	46,774	70.3	28,329	41,326	45.9	23,473	28,921	23.2
DE.....	1,007	928	-7.8	1,251	1,154	-7.8	1,585	1,359	-14.3
NJ.....	6,234	6,564	5.3	6,643	6,537	-1.6	5,839	5,866	0.5
PA, E.....	14,260	33,895	137.7	14,234	28,018	96.8	10,263	16,140	57.3
PA, M.....	2,807	2,594	-7.9	2,952	2,653	-10.1	2,082	2,013	-3.3
PA, W.....	2,752	2,414	-12.3	2,968	2,677	-9.8	2,563	2,300	-10.3
VI.....	411	389	-5.4	281	287	2.1	1,141	1,243	8.9
4TH...	18,407	17,435	-5.3	40,307	18,435	-54.3	15,088	14,088	-6.6
MD.....	3,569	3,534	-1.0	3,767	3,592	-4.6	3,035	2,977	-1.9
NC, E.....	1,338	1,311	-2.0	1,306	1,443	10.5	1,453	1,321	-9.1
NC, M.....	1,177	1,124	-4.5	1,199	1,199	0.0	1,087	1,012	-6.9
NC, W.....	970	1,043	7.5	1,093	1,165	6.6	1,057	935	-11.5
SC.....	3,743	3,780	1.0	24,014	3,856	-83.9	3,150	3,074	-2.4
VA, E.....	4,188	3,590	-14.3	4,116	3,898	-5.3	2,405	2,097	-12.8
VA, W.....	1,320	1,312	-0.6	1,537	1,358	-11.6	830	784	-5.5
WV, N.....	634	633	-0.2	636	604	-5.0	721	750	4.0
WV, S.....	1,468	1,108	-24.5	2,639	1,320	-50.0	1,350	1,138	-15.7
5TH...	33,596	36,633	9.0	30,056	30,829	2.6	37,530	43,334	15.5
LA, E.....	6,166	11,893	92.9	2,706	3,948	45.9	6,951	14,896	114.3

LA, M... LA, N... MS, N... MS, S... TX, N... TX, E... TX, S... TX, W...	1,486 2,384 1,224 4,258 4,672 2,993 6,566 3,434	1,042 5,525 5,9 2,724 4,552 2,9 6,979 3,258	-29.9 -5.9 -19.0 -36.0 -2.6 3,081 -5.9 -5.1	CIVIL-C, DEC 2006 1,498 2,728 1,236 3,131 4,238 4,890 6,859 3,456	1,117 2,435 1,190 4,158 3,481 3,009 7,351 3,383 -2.1	-25.4 -10.7 -3.7 35.4 -4.9 -1.7 5,045 2,720	8,815 2,301 1,536 4,158 3,481 2,523 2,595 2,720	8,740 2,391 1,38 2,644 3,383 2,595 4,752 2,595	-0.9 3.9 -12.9 -36.4 -2.8 2.9 -5.8 -4.6
6TH...	23,613	20,847	-11.7	36,329	23,322	-35.8	25,860	23,385	-9.6
KY, E... KY, W... MT, E... MT, W... OH, N... OH, S... TN, E... TN, M... TN, W...	2,261 1,542 5,578 1,558 3,915 2,524 1,465 1,393 1,400	1,791 1,275 5,912 1,639 -33.6 2,441 1,169 1,508 1,197	-20.8 -2.37 -17.3 6.0 19.145 4,322 -3.3 -20.2 -17.3	2,141 1,518 1,398 5,400 1,482 6,226 2,568 1,370 1,689	-4.3 1,486 -7.9 5,2 1,185 6,133 8,444 1,696 1,290	1,831 1,481 1,363 5,762 1,342 13.2 -27.4 -4.2 -11.9	1,481 1,481 -8.3 9.8 1,342 13.2 -27.4 -4.2 -11.9	-19.1 -19.1 -8.3 9.8 1,342 13.2 -27.4 -4.2 -11.9	-19.1 -19.1 -8.3 9.8 1,342 13.2 -27.4 -4.2 -11.9
<b>TABLE C. U.S. DISTRICT COURTS CIVIL CASES COMMENCED, TERMINATED AND PENDING DURING THE TWELVE MONTH PERIODS ENDED DEC. 31, 2005 AND 2006</b>									
CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT	PERIOD ENDED DEC. 31, 2005	PERIOD ENDED DEC. 31, 2006	PERCENT CHANGE 1	TERMINATIONS			PENDING		
				PERIOD ENDED DEC. 31, 2005	PERIOD ENDED DEC. 31, 2006	PERCENT CHANGE 1	PERIOD ENDED DEC. 31, 2005	PERIOD ENDED DEC. 31, 2006	PERCENT CHANGE 1
7TH...	16,803	16,375	-2.5	17,552	16,328	-7.0	14,881	14,928	0.3
IL, N... IL, C... IL, S... IN, N... IN, S... WI, E... WI, W...	7,646 1,137 1,200 1,863 2,767 1,415 775	7,545 -14.3 1,203 1,902 -6.4 1,373 788	-1.3 -14.3 0.3 2.1 3,027 -3.0 1.7	7,897 1,100 1,249 2,021 2,769 1,380 1,445 878	7,197 1,038 1,213 1,966 -8.5 2,769 4.7 700	-8.9 -5.6 -2.9 -2.7 -8.5 -8.5 2,543 1,399	6,720 1,051 1,316 1,615 2,364 2,364 1,327 325	7,068 987 1,306 1,551 -7.0 -7.0 -5.1 37.1	5.2 -6.1 -0.8 -4.0 -7.0 -7.0 -5.1 37.1
8TH...	15,548	16,437	5.7	15,482	18,680	20.7	19,268	17,025	-11.6
AR, E... AR, W... IA, N... IA, S... MN, N... MO, E... MO, W... NE, E... ND, E... SD, E...	3,097 790 630 925 3,078 2,782 2,639 955 249 403	2,654 872 580 836 5,244 2,202 2,220 1,137 226 466	-14.3 10.4 -7.9 -9.6 70.4 -20.8 2,570 -15.9 1,200 -9.2 478	2,411 1,078 626 1,058 3,439 2,125 2,521 2,533 1,003 365	-11.9 -16.1 0.0 -18.0 7,501 -1.9 -1.2 -1.2 -9.7 -23.6	4,082 738 586 868 7,501 2,251 875 843 7,337 2,251 2,017 782 224 376	4,611 706 540 843 5,080 1,932 1,704 916 216 477	13.0 -4.3 -7.8 -3.7 -30.8 -14.2 -15.5 17.1 -3.6 26.9	13.0 -4.3 -12.9 -36.4 -2.8 -5.8 -15.5 17.1 -3.6 26.9
9TH...	40,875	41,759	2.2	41,796	40,800	-2.4	41,254	42,213	2.3
AK, E...	359	371	3.3	355	361	1.7	387	397	2.6

	AZ..	CA, N..	CA, E..	CA, C..	CA, S..	CT, ILL..	C, DE, C, DEC	2006	
	5,112	3,895	-23.8	4,070	5,402	32.7	5,162	3,656	-29.2
	5,589	8,171	46.2	4,828	14.8	6,049	6,208	5,834	33.6
	4,205	4,828	14.8	4,205	11.940	4,046	4,061	5,643	13.6
	2,591	11,383	-4.7	3,014	11,383	13,144	11,475	11,000	10,908
	817	-16.3	16.3	624	-15.1	2,671	2,628	1,953	2,339
	756	631	547	632	0.9	788	747	785	732
	632	633	0.9	2,307	3.0	607	593	694	648
	2,307	2,377	2,327	2,327	2,377	720	19.0	897	815
	2,575	2,437	-5.4	2,575	2,437	605	-10.8	2,476	2,778
	756	631	-16.5	756	631	2,490	-2.8	2,484	2,431
	631	681	3,616	681	697	697	-17.4	595	529
	3,344	2,681	3,616	3,344	2,681	3,271	-9.5	3,245	-11.1
	41	42	2.4	41	42	3,40	-46.7	40	-18.2
	48	49	2.1	48	49	37	-13.5	59	542
10TH..	10,354	9,886	-4.5	10,839	10,671	-1.5	9,798	9,013	-8.0
CO..	2,771	2,689	-3.0	2,810	2,909	3.5	2,349	2,129	-9.4
KS..	1,628	1,520	-6.6	1,689	1,630	-3.5	1,554	1,444	-7.1
NM..	1,409	1,349	-4.3	1,478	1,353	-8.5	1,404	1,400	-0.3
OK, N..	777	727	-6.4	843	881	4.5	977	823	-15.8
OK, E..	546	538	6.8	572	565	-1.2	520	538	3.5
OK, W..	1,606	1,493	-7.0	1,728	1,649	-4.6	1,225	1,069	-12.7
UT..	1,284	1,225	-4.6	1,368	1,324	-3.2	1,408	1,309	-7.0
WY..	333	300	-9.9	351	360	2.6	361	301	-16.6
11TH..	26,595	28,556	7.4	28,554	27,594	-3.4	22,690	23,652	4.2
AL, N..	2,831	5,058	78.7	3,204	3,744	16.9	2,691	4,005	48.8
AL, M..	1,287	1,193	-7.3	1,244	1,305	4.9	1,285	1,173	-8.7
AL, S..	774	901	16.4	813	735	-9.6	673	839	24.7
FL, N..	1,460	1,652	13.2	1,617	1,575	-2.5	1,249	1,325	6.1
FL, M..	6,870	6,686	-2.7	6,989	6,552	-6.3	5,461	5,595	2.5
FL, S..	6,960	6,914	-0.7	7,607	7,196	-5.4	5,986	5,704	-4.7
GA, N..	4,074	3,857	-5.3	4,802	4,126	-14.1	3,245	2,976	-8.3
GA, M..	1,173	1,119	-4.6	1,184	1,131	-1.9	1,131	1,119	-1.1
GA, S..	1,166	1,176	0.9	1,094	1,229	12.3	969	916	-5.5

1 PERCENT CHANGE NOT COMPUTED WHEN FEWER THAN 10 CASES REPORTED FOR THE PREVIOUS PERIOD.